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Re: Title: METHOD OF DEPOSITING RARE EARTH OXIDE THIN FILMS  
Letters Patent No. 6,858,546  
Issued: February 22, 2005  
Our Reference: SEPP17.001AUS

Dear Sir:

Enclosed for filing is a Certificate of Correction in connection with the above-identified patent.

As the errors cited in the Certificate of Correction were incurred through the fault of the Patent Office, no fee is believed to be required. However, please charge our Deposit Account No. 11-1410 for any fees that may be incurred with this request.

Respectfully submitted,

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## CERTIFICATE OF CORRECTION

**PATENT NO.** : 6,858,546  
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It is certified that error appears in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:

On page 2, first column, line 6, please delete "408" and insert --406-- therefor.

On page 2, first column, line 9, after "165" please insert --(2001)--.

In Col. 3, line 7, please delete "KSiO<sub>1</sub>" and insert --KSiO<sub>2</sub>-- therefor.

In Col. 9, line 23, please delete "rue" and insert --rare-- therefor.

In Col. 10, line 29, please delete "continuing" and insert --containing-- therefor.

In Col. 10, line 33, after "alkyl" please insert -- , --.

In Col. 10, line 34, please delete "tbio" and insert --thio-- therefor.

In Col. 11, line 16, please delete "way" and insert --may-- therefor.

In Col. 11, line 43, please delete "An alyzing" and insert --Analyzing-- therefor.

In Col. 13, line 19, after "thin" please delete "has" and insert --film-- therefor.

In Col. 13, line 42, please delete "art" and insert --are-- therefor.

In Col. 13, line 56, after "generator" please insert -- ( --.

In Col. 14, line 38, please delete "film" and insert --films-- therefor.

In Col. 15, line 42, please delete "temperate" and insert --temperatuare-- therefor.

In Col. 16, line 50, please delete "APM" and insert --AFM-- therefor.

In Col. 16, line 63, please delete "furs" and insert --films-- therefor.

In Col. 17, line 43, please delete "confined" and insert --confirmed-- therefor.

In Col. 19, line 10, please delete "ticker" and insert --thicker-- therefor.

In Col. 19, line 16, please delete "PWHM" and insert --FWHM-- therefor.

In Col. 19, line 28, in Claim 1, please delete "Th" and insert --Tb-- therefor.

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